

# The Dillon Herald

Dillon, S. C., April 29, 1920.

Some new administration will be in power in Washington one year from now, but what a roughhouse we will have to go through meantime.

Hoover says he does not know what either of the political parties stands for. As the parties don't know what Hoover stands for the situation must be 50-50.

It is said that a white man always wishes to appear younger than he really is, but when a black man reaches the age of 60 he pretends that he is anywhere from 75 to 90.

The wise man will pay little attention to the quotations of Liberty Bonds. They are worth par and interest at the final showdown, and that is the time to wait for. The fellow who sells his Liberties is doing the buyer a great financial favor.

The big and near-big cities lack sufficient houses to accommodate the throngs from the country who are in town trying to shake down some honest pennies while the shaking is good. When the man shaking down process gives out they'll return to the country and there will be plenty of houses in town, with low rentals.

The United States received 3,100,000 hides duty free from Argentina in 1919. This was 60 per cent of the total Argentinian exports of hides. The question naturally arises, if there is a scarcity of shoes in this country, what must they be in other countries. The fact is, however, there are plenty of shoes obtainable at current prices.

## THE FORECAST WAS WRONG.

When the war was under way, it was predicted on every hand that army life would give the city fellows a taste of outdoor life that they would not care to relinquish when they returned to civil life.

It was freely expected, therefore, that when the war was over thousands of youths would rush to the country. We were told that they never again would be satisfied with being "cooped up" in city factories.

The war has been over for some time and the boys are all back. But instead of city fellows trekking to the country, they have remained right in the cities, and the country fellows have in large numbers abandoned the farms and gone to the cities.

And that is one of the chief reasons for the lack of hired help on the farm, the menace of under-production, and the possibilities of a near-famine in the near future.

During the war and the period of reconstruction which followed publishers of newspapers had to overcome many difficult problems, but the most serious problem they have had to face during this period is the shortage in the now rapidly diminishing supply of newspaper. The public does not know and probably does not concern itself about the supply of newspaper. That is a matter which the publisher must worry over. The publisher has been worrying. Like the traveler who loses himself in the desert and uses every means in his power to conserve his rapidly diminishing supply of water, the publisher has been making desperate efforts to conserve his supply of newspaper, hoping that "something would happen to relieve the situation. But that "something" has not happened and he is facing a crisis. Newspaper has advanced from 2 cents a pound in 1914 to 10 and 15 cents a pound in 1920, and it is hard to get at any price. The Chicago Tribune is advising the public not to buy "The Tribune." It is urging friends and neighbors to lend the paper to their other friends and neighbors. It is printing only a limited number each day in order to conserve its supply of paper. The big New York papers have reduced from 24 and 32 pages to 8 and 12 pages. They have adopted the slogan "News first," and are refusing to take advertising. Many of the weekly newspapers are reducing to two and four pages. The situation is serious and there is no relief in sight. The Herald bought a big supply of paper last summer and has enough to run until June 1st. It has the promise of several shipments in May, but at a price that would make an oil magnate gasp for breath. Many newspapers are suspending publication and many more will suspend before the year is out. The Herald may have to reduce to four or probably two pages, but the Herald is not going to suspend until print paper becomes as valuable as dollar bills.

## HARD LIQUOR IS MADE FROM ROCKS.

Greensburg, Pa., April 21.—What some people regard as a heaven sent relief has made this town a mecca for thirsty prospectors from all over Western Pennsylvania. Reports of the existence of a "whiskey rock" on the big Huffendale farm near here caused a rush of strangers that makes the town look like a boom community of the old west. According to the report, a chip from the rock when dissolved in water, would make a pint of hard stuff with a real kick. The farm is big and has many rocks. The stone that has alcoholic properties has so far not been definitely located.

## Forty Nine Cents Buys Boy's Suit.

Home Demonstration Agents Teach Women How to Combat High Cost of Living.

Home Demonstrations throughout the state are teaching women practical ways to combat old H. C. L. The following quoted letter was written to home demonstration headquarters at Winthrop college by an enthusiastic little woman who is a member of a home demonstration club in Newberry county:

"I was thrilled and my husband soon knew about it. I had come from the home demonstration club with so many ideas and suggestions for making over clothes for my children, a boy of five and a girl of three. "On my next trip to town, I visited the bargain counter and for 49 cents purchased a ladies crash dress that was out of style. Within three days time this dress had been transformed into a boy's pretty suit, a thing I had long wanted. Yes, and I had the linen crash suit for 49 cents.

"In a few days' time I was again in town and saw the display of children's coats and capes. Mildred must have one this winter, but the price. What could I do for the child? Then came the vision of mamma's old plush cape—one that had served its days in her lifetime. But with deft fingers this seeming worthless cape was changed into a little girl's coat. With scraps of velvet from several of my old hats, I made her a bonnet, straight front and gathered crown and back, lining it with colored ribbon at a cost of 50 cents. Many were the compliments on the 50 cent cap and coat. "All this help I owe to the home demonstration club meetings. This is just one phase of the work that is carried on in our club and I can but think what a great help it is to the women in the community to be able to learn the best methods of doing all things about the home."

## TWO STRATA OF OIL.

Seepages Found on Five Forks Farm.

Clio, April 24.—Drilling operations are progressing daily at the Five Forks by the Marlboro Oil Developing company. The well is at a depth of something like 100 feet, and two strata of "oil" seepage have been encountered already. One was at a depth of about 30 feet and the other was encountered yesterday at a depth of 70 feet.

The first was very limited but the latter was more pronounced and of a greater quantity.

A prominent operator was here today and, having seen the surroundings, is enthusiastic over the prospects and is trying to secure options on adjoining lands, with the promise of further development and exploiting of the oil possibilities of this section.

The Dillon County Warehousing and Marketing Corporation.

Despite the very inclement weather on Tuesday morning the 27th there was a meeting at the court house of a majority of the promoters of the Dillon County Warehousing and Marketing Corporation. All of those present paid into the treasury 20 per cent of their subscriptions.

A permanent organization was not gone into, however, because it was thought best to have another meeting right away at which a large and full attendance could be had. This meeting is called for Saturday morning, May 1st, at 11 o'clock.

Everyone who has subscribed to this stock is earnestly requested to lay aside everything else and attend this meeting. Time is passing rapidly and it is necessary for the cotton warehouse to be in course of construction very soon if we are to be ready for the crop of 1920.

Date of meeting, Saturday morning of this week.

## PACKAGE FREIGHT CARS.

To All Points Within Radius of 50 Miles of Florence.

Florence, April 20.—A system of package freight cars out of Florence to practically all points within a radius of 50 miles of here will be established immediately by the Atlantic Coast Line. A. C. Kenly, superintendent of freight, with offices in Wilmington, N. C., has authorized the service, and accordingly referred the matter to R. B. Hare, assistant general superintendent, with offices in Florence, to put into operation.

Official notice of the authorization of this service, which affords the finest possible deliveries by freight, was received here yesterday morning by Walter J. Johnson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

The institution of this service is expected to mark a distinct advance in the importance and expansion of Florence as a distributing point in this section of South Carolina. It will afford wholesale merchants delivery of their merchandise to all points in their territory by freight at express speed.

No Cure—"And how's the missus," asked one Irishman of another just to make conversation.

"She's terrible bad with rheumatism."

"And have you tried electricity?" "Electricity, is it? There's nothin' to it. She was struck by lightning a week ago and it ain't done her a bit o' good yet."

Fighting it Out—The judge used his gavel vigorously when the two prisoners just taken before him started to fight in court. Attaches pulled them apart.

"What do you mean by this conduct in court?" the magistrate demanded.

"We wuz only takin' the cop's advice," said one. "When he pinched us he told us we'd have to fight it out before the judge."

## Program of Dillon County Federation

The Dillon County Federation of Women's Clubs will meet at Fork Saturday, May 1st, and the program has been arranged as follows:

Morning Session 10:30 a. m. Music—Furnished by the Jordan Music Co., of Mullins.

Invocation. Address of Welcome — Mrs. C. E. Taylor.

Response to Address of Welcome — Miss Julia Alford.

President's Address — Mrs. L. Cottingham.

Business Session.

Reports from Rural School Supervisor, County Home Demonstration Agent and Public Health Nurse.

Plans for County Fair—Miss Amanda Edwards.

Music—Jordan Music Co.

Reports from Clubs.

Afternoon Session:

Music.

Address—Scope of Home Demonstration Work Today—Miss Christine South, State Demonstration Agent.

Illustrated Lecture—Socializing the Rural Community—Prof. Wilson Lee of the S. C. University.

Address: The Power of Health—Miss Chauncey Blackburn, Secretary of the State Tuberculosis Association.

PILE UP YOUR DOLLARS SO THAT NO ONE CAN KNOCK THEM DOWN.

Many a tired lad has slipped his coat on when the whistle blew and said derisively: "Another day, another dollar. A million days, a millionaire." He has said a mouthful in bitter jest and without knowing it. For the dollars do pile up if the stack is not knocked over.

Some financial sharpshooters are always gunning for your dollars. They can pick them off at a mile like Annie Oakley cracking clay pipes in a shooting gallery. But if you put some of your dollars under cover before any one can draw a bead on them, you leave a slim score for the pro-ducer and the grafter.

The safest protection from those sharpshooters is War Savings Stamps bought every pay-day. If you give them your whole roll to shoot at they will hit it for a perfect score. Make them waste a little ammunition.

War Savings Stamps are absolutely safe. They pay a high rate of interest and you can get your money IN FULL when you need it. When they pile up, nobody can knock the stack over.

## Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." T. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

A Fine Shot—The Irish night watchman at the observatory was new. He paused to watch a man peering through a large telescope. Just then a star fell.

"Man alive," he exclaimed in amazement. "You're sure a foine shot."

## Wants

RATES: 10c. A LINE

Count six words to a line. No ad. taken for less than 30 cents.

FOR SALE—FARM OF 168 9-10 acres 1 3-4 miles from Florence, 65 acres cleared in high state of cultivation fronting Main road, tobacco barn, stable and corn house All new. Price per acre \$165.00. This land is worth \$250.00. Reason for selling owner leaving state. For further particulars write E. H. Clarke, No. 9, South Gillard St. Florence, S. C.—4 8 ft.

WANTED—LIVE DEALER IN DILLON and other near towns for the Sondow worm drive truck, six models, good contract. Carolina Sandow Truck Co., Ayden, N. C.—4 22 3tp.

LOST—ONE HOUND DOG NEAR Harlie's bridge on Pee Dee river, white with dark lemon colored spots. If found notify me and get liberal reward. D. D. McLaurin, Rowland, N. C.—4 29 1t.

FOR SALE—FEW COWS FRESH in milk; from two to four gallons. L. B. Stephens, Dillon Route 2 or Phone 3821.—4 22 2tp.

ACID AND KANT AND NIT. SODA expected this week. For sale by L. Cottingham.—4 8.

FOR SALE—CLEVELAND BIG Boll Cotton Seed, bagged 100 lbs. to bag in new bags. Have about 400 bushels left. See L. Cottingham.—4 8.

FOR SALE—OUR DIRESTER TANK age hog meal at \$3.50 per hundred pound bag is far better for growing hogs than corn, and very much cheaper. Carolina Milling Company.—4 15 2t.

WANTED—HIDES AND COUNTRY PRODUCE. HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR SAME. DILLON MARKET, DILLON, S. C.—2 12 1t.

## A MERCILESS JUDGE.

One Who Shows No Favor.

A merciless judge is Father Time. Before him the weak and the wanting go to the wall. Only the truth can stand. For years the following statement from a Dillon resident has withstood this sternest of all tests.

C. E. Peck, Dillon, gave the following statement December 21, 1914: "My kidneys were out of order and I had dull pains in the small of my back. I was so sore and lame I could hardly bend and it was just as hard to straighten. I had headaches and spells of dizziness. The secretions passed irregularly and I had other symptoms of kidney trouble. I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and after using them as directed soon got relief from my trouble. I keep Doan's on hand now and when a kidney medicine is needed they never fail to give good results."

## LASTING BENEFIT

On January 29, 1918 Mr. Peck said: "I have had better health the last four years than I have ever had in my life. I give the credit to Doan's Kidney Pills as they gave me a cure four years ago. I am glad to confirm my statement of 1914."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.—4 22 2t.

## NOTICE OF FINAL DISCHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that Sarah Alford, administratrix of the estate of Sam Alford, deceased, has made application unto me for final discharge as such administratrix and that Friday, May 14, at 10 a. m. in the forenoon has been appointed for the hearing of the said petition.

All persons holding claims against the said estate are requested to file them with the administratrix or before 10 a. m. in the forenoon on May 14, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

JOE CABELL DAVIS, Judge of Probate, Dillon County.

## NOTICE

All persons who subscribed to the additional stock of the Dillon County Fair Association will please send in their checks for same at once and save us a trip in calling on you. Do this now. Make all checks payable to Dillon County Fair Association.

A. PIERCE BETHEA, JOE CABELL DAVIS, 4 22 2t Committee.

## NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Dillon County Fair Association, Monday evening, May 3rd, at 3 o'clock, at the court house for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and making final arrangements for the County Fair. All stockholders earnestly requested to attend as this is a very important meeting.

A. Pierce Bethea, Secretary.

## CREDITOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Franklin B. Graham, deceased, notice is hereby given that all persons holding claims against the estate are hereby notified to present same duly authenticated within the time provided by law or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment to the undersigned administrator.

SAMUEL D. GRAHAM, Executor.

S. C. HENSLEE, M. D. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Spectacles Fitted. Office Hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4 Evening Hours by Appointment.

## Candidates Cards

For House of Representatives.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

EARL R. ELLERBE.

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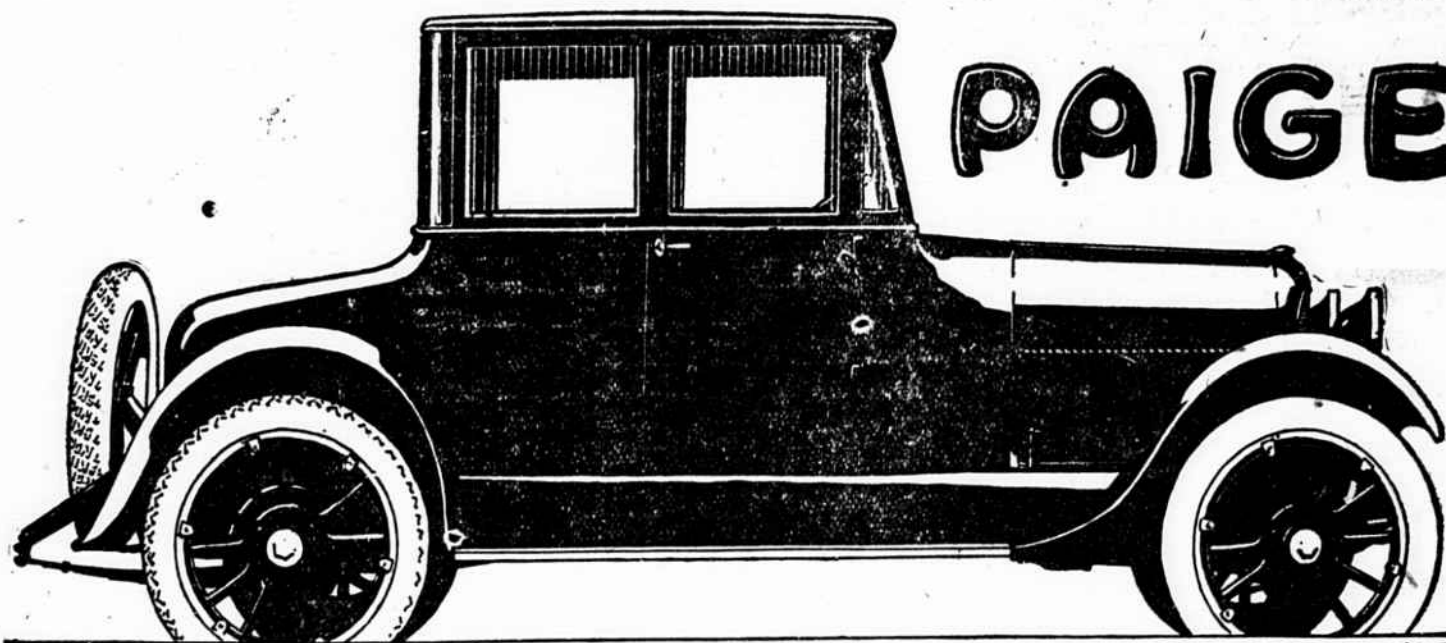
It is stomach trouble that is wearing you down, causing those sharp gas pains, those frequent headaches, that tired, listless feeling, that loss of appetite. You can overcome all of these safely and surely by taking Pepsinol. This medicine will invigorate your stomach and stimulate the thorough digestion that makes rich blood to repair wasted body and nerve tissues. Now is the time to get on the road to rosy, robust health. Do not wait until you are completely worn out and sick in bed to combat stomach trouble.

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